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Honorable Howard Baker  
Select Committee on Intelligence  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C. 20510

Reference  
R 4154

Dear Senator Baker:

This is in response to your letter of July 27, 1976 regarding an inquiry by Mr. Frank F. Teruggi concerning information the CIA may hold which pertains to his son Frank R. Teruggi.

On March 27, 1975 Mr. Teruggi made a Freedom of Information request to the CIA for any information held by this Agency which might pertain to his son. Mr. Teruggi was advised on May 9, 1975 that a thorough search of CIA records indicated only one document which mentioned his son. This document was determined to be properly classified and therefore, exempt from disclosure under the Act. In addition, Mr. Teruggi was advised that the CIA representative in Santiago, Chile had no information in his files pertaining to his son.

The initial denial of the single document mentioned above was sustained on appeal and Mr. Teruggi's attorney was advised May 7, 1976 that the nature of the information was a document provided to the CIA by a foreign liaison service.

In his correspondence to you of April 15, 1976, Mr. Teruggi asked if the name of his son, or any American was contained in a so-called "arrest list" noted by a staff study of the Senate Select Committee.

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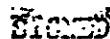



Another search of CIA records has failed to disclose any reference by name or otherwise to Frank R. Teruggi on any list of any type at CIA Headquarters or in any other foreign or domestic location other than the one document noted previously.

We have no information concerning documents which may be held by the Department of State on this matter, and have earlier suggested that Mr. Teruggi contact that Department directly.

Thank you for your personal interest in this matter.

Sincerely,



  
Legislative Counsel


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